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WAR ENDS WITH COLLAPSE OF GERMAN POWER---ARMISTICE IN EFFECT

7 DISTRICTS OVER TOP YESTERDAY
FOR UNITED WAR WORK FUND DESPITE
CONFUSION INCIDENT TO ARMISTICE

Ronda, Grapevine, Bell, Haney, Mack, Jackson Springs and Harrold Report Quota Raised in Full—No Systematic Work Attempted in Vernon and \$1,700 Reported—Council of Defense to Handle Cases Where Individuals Fail to Measure Up to Their Ability.

Seven districts were shown to have over-subscribed their quotas of the United War Work Fund last night, according to reports made to headquarters. These districts were Ronda, Grapevine, Bell, Haney, Mack, Jackson Springs and Harrold.

R. Cobb, chairman of the Harrold district, reported "over the top" before 10 o'clock. Harrold's quota was \$600. By 10 o'clock \$659.50 had been secured and the committee says it will get at least \$700.

It is also practically certain that Dawson Valley had over-subscribed, but one of the committees did not report its work to headquarters. This district was divided into three parts and a sub-chairman appointed for each division. J. C. Sherrard was general chairman. E. Bourland and B. H. Lewis were his assistants.

Chairmen whose districts were over-subscribed follow: J. M. Collins, Jackson Springs; Dave Melton, Ronda; S. C. Whatley, Grapevine; C. M. Kester, Bell; J. F. Leake, Haney; N. J. Reed, Mack; R. Cobb, Harrold. The only other chairmen who reported any considerable amount was Charlie Clynch for Elliott.

The total subscribed in yesterday's work was \$3,290.15. Plans had been made to practically conclude the campaign in one day, but these were upset by the receipt of the armistice news and the general peace celebration that was staged here yesterday.

No systematic work was attempted by the Vernon committees. Only a little more than \$1,700 of yesterday's total came from the city of Vernon. Fully half of the county quota of \$15,000 must come from Vernon.

The work of raising the funds will be continued and it is hoped to complete the task within the next two or three days. In view of the confusion which prevailed over the county yesterday, and the small number of districts making reports, it is believed that the amount asked will be raised before the close of the week.

Accurate records are being kept of the subscriptions made, and where individuals have not measured up to what is expected of them their cases will be handled by the Council of Defense. During the last two days of the drive the Council will be in session to act on these cases.

The committee for the Lockett community announces that a meeting will be held at the school house tomorrow night for purpose of raising the Lockett quota. A thanksgiving service will be held at the Lockett church Sunday.

The Magnolia Petroleum Company has sent a contribution of \$35.00 to the War Fund. It was turned into headquarters this morning by C. M. Ladd, the company's local agent. This concern bought \$500 of the Fourth Liberty bonds here on the last drive.

The first contribution to come from other sources than individual donations was \$20 turned in by the War Work committee, of which Mrs. W. H. Huggins is chairman.

MRS. F. W. GROGAN DEAD.

Member of Well Known Local Family Succumbs After Illness of a Week Late Yesterday Evening.

About 8 o'clock last night at the residence on South Houston street, Mrs. Mattie Grogan, wife of F. W. Grogan, died following an illness of only a week with influenza.

The funeral will be held this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, services at East View Cemetery by Rev. H. E. Stubbs, pastor of the Central Christian church.

The deceased was aged 36 years, 3 months and 20 days. She is survived by her husband and little daughter, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ladd, and the following brothers and sisters: C. M. F. W. and Almo Ladd of Vernon; Ed Ladd of Margaret and John H. Ladd of Camp Sheridan, Ala.; Mrs. W. S. Boydland, Mrs. M. A. Byars, Mrs. R. J. Byars, Mrs. W. S. Lundy, Misses Bess and Willie Ladd, all of Wilbarger county, and Mrs. V. A. McGinnis of Margaret.

Besides these relatives, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Grogan of Cordell, Okla., brother and sister-in-law of the husband, are here for the funeral.

The Ladd family, of which Mrs. Grogan was a member, is one of the oldest and best known in the county. Mr. Ladd came here in 1891. Mrs. Grogan was a member of the Christian church. She and Mr. Grogan were married here July 30, 1896.

URIEL H. REED IS CAPTAIN.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Harper Reed Receives Third Promotion in Less Than Year.

Captain Uriel H. Reed, Bureau of Intelligence, Post Naval Guards, Eighth Naval District, New Orleans, La., is now the address of this fortunate Vernon boy. News of his third promotion since January has just been received in Vernon.

Captain Reed had served an enlistment in the United States navy, and spent one year in school before America entered the present war. He enlisted last February.

Mr. and Mrs. Harper Reed of Vernon are parents of Captain Reed. He is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Bennett.

Miss Eva Brooks Dies.

Miss Eva Brooks, daughter of Mrs. M. A. Brooks, died Saturday morning. She was buried in East View Cemetery Saturday afternoon, services being conducted by Rev. W. T. Rouse. She was a member of the Baptist church. Deceased had lived in Vernon about two years, and was a night operator for the Southwestern Telephone Company. She is survived by her mother and three brothers. Friends join in sympathy for the bereaved family.

TOWN CELEBRATED
SIGNING ARMISTICE

BUSINESS HOUSES AND SCHOOLS CLOSED YESTERDAY AFTER 10 O'CLOCK.

Vernon took a holiday yesterday in honor of the signing of the armistice terms by the German representatives. It was about 7 o'clock when the fire siren roused the town, and for several minutes many thought there must be a general conflagration. Then other whistles joined in; somebody fired a shot, and the people awoke to the fact that Germany had agreed to the terms for an armistice.

Mayor Harry Mason issued a proclamation closing all places of business, except cafes and drug stores after 10 o'clock yesterday morning. The mayor's holiday manifesto also included public schools. It was announced that a monster parade would be staged at 3 o'clock, and long before noon people from over the county were getting to town to help their neighbors rejoice over the end of the war in which so many Wilbarger county boys have participated.

Early yesterday the mayor issued an order that no firearms should be used because of the danger to life and limb. Instead, three anvils were placed on the courthouse square, and all morning their detonations shook the buildings around the square.

Shortly after the big parade had disbanded Lieutenants Hugh Cargo and Fred G. Gray of Carl Field flew over Vernon, on route home from Crowell where they had gone to help put over the United War Fund campaign. In response to the boom of the anvils and shouts of the people, the birdmen circled over town, giving a thrilling exhibition of flying.

Last night a thanksgiving service was held at the Methodist church. A special choir led in the singing of patriotic and religious hymns, pastors of the town and prominent citizens made two-minute talks, and W. E. Hawkins of Fort Worth, who was visiting his brother, L. G. Hawkins, who presided, was asked by Rev. H. M. Long to speak in his stead. Mr. Hawkins electrified the crowd by saying he was proud he was an American, because of the things for which America stands—the rights of humanity against selfishness.

LIBRARY GETS NEW BOOKS.

Miss Newton Asks That Persons Leaving Be Careful to Turn in Membership Cards.

Among the new books recently received by the local library are a Literary History of the English people in three volumes. Volume 1 covers that period from the origin to the renaissance; volume 2, from the renaissance to the Civil War, part one; volume 3, from the renaissance to the Civil War, part two.

Gene Stratton Porter's latest novel, "A Daughter of the Land" is in tune with the earnest spirit of the times. It is essentially patriotic in spirit and emphasizes the sound and normal philosophy of life.

"Dere Mable" by Lieutenant Streeter is another of the new books. Among the inspirational books is "Contagion of Character," by Newell Dwight Hillis.

"Holiday Song," by Emilene Ponison has been ordered especially for teachers.

For the young people in "Dum-Bell of Brookfield," by John Tainter Foote, is a fascinating dog story.

Miss Lillian Newton, librarian, calls attention to the fact that thereafter persons taking books out in good condition and bringing them back with backs off or mutilated will be asked to pay damages. This rule has not been strictly enforced, and in a few cases has been abused.

"It would be a great help to the librarian," Miss Newton continues, "if those who are moving away would return their cards to the library so that their numbers may be given to others."

W. C. T. U. With Mrs. McHugh.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Thursday with Mrs. E. L. McHugh on West Wilbarger street. Time of meeting is 3:30 o'clock.

RECORD WAR EXTRA
POPULAR IN VERNON

LOCAL PAPER CARRIED NEWS OF ARMISTICE TO FORD COUNTRY, TOO.

The Record Extra brought people of Vernon their first news of the signing of the armistice yesterday. Word was received early and about 7 o'clock a number of news boys went out calling "Extra." Relatively few people were on the streets, but practically every one bought. As the town began to fill up the demand increased, and by 8 o'clock it became necessary to start the big press a second time.

Boys covered most of the residence district.

Shortly after 8 o'clock a load of papers was taken to Crowell, following telephonic advice that Ford county was coming in to celebrate. Papers were left at Thalia, Rayland and other places en route.

Rev. M. Phelan, presiding elder, has a copy of the Dallas News for all important events since the declaration of war against Spain. He says that yesterday's issue of The Record is entitled to a place in this file. Many others signified their intention of filing a copy of the extra.

CANNER RECEIVES
4,000 MORE CANS

Four thousand cans have been received by the community canner. Those in charge say these will perhaps be used by Christmas. Nine thousand cans have already been filled this season.

The product of the local canner includes twenty-five beets, and large quantities of beans, peas, corn, and other vegetables. Pumpkins and sweet potatoes are being brought in now. The capacity of the local industry is about 300 cans a day.

The most encouraging feature of the work, in the opinion of the home demonstration agent, is that every community in Wilbarger county is represented in the product of the canner. It is felt that this will help materially next spring, when it is planned to enlarge the local canner and establish a number of smaller canners over the county.

"We feel particularly encouraged that 9,000 cans should have been turned out this summer and fall," Miss Wilcox says, "in view of the unprecedented dry weather, when it looked for so long that everything would be burned up. If it is possible to put up that amount of food stuffs during a year like this, what can be done when everything is normal, and people have become somewhat more familiar with the canner and realize the economy of its use?"

Rev. Phelan Will Preach.

Rev. M. Phelan, presiding elder announces that he will hold services at the local Methodist church until such time as the new pastor, Rev. Henry F. Brooks can reach Vernon. Rev. Brooks is pastor at Mineral Wells in the Central Texas Conference, and as that conference does not meet until November 20, it will be some time before he can get here. The presiding elder says he will take care of all the work, as well as Wednesday night prayer meeting and preaching services.

Must Have Signed Communications.

The Record has received several letters recently bearing no signature. These have not been printed. One or two have come without any postoffice address. The Record desires to give space when possible, to all communications; however, they must be signed. The name of the writer will not be published if requested.

Mrs. R. J. Johnson Dead.

Mrs. R. J. Johnson died at her home in this city Saturday morning following a comparatively brief illness. The remains were shipped to Mufreesboro, Tenn., for interment. The deceased is survived by her husband, who is employed with Napier Bros. Motor Company, and a little daughter.

DR. H. F. BROOKS
VERNON PASTOR

MINERAL WELLS MINISTER APPOINTED TO FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

Dr. Henry F. Brooks of Mineral Wells has been appointed pastor of the First Methodist Church in Vernon, succeeding Rev. H. M. Long, who becomes conference secretary for the Centenary Missionary Movement. This announcement was made at Abilene Conference, held last week.

Dr. Brooks is now a member of the Central Texas Conference and will not be here to begin his duties until after the meeting of that body November 20th. The new pastor is said to be a popular preacher wherever he has been, and is numbered among the leading ministers of his denomination in Texas. A number of years ago, when he first entered the ministry, he was pastor of the Tolbert-Fargo charge in this county.

Rev. M. Phelan returns as presiding elder of the Vernon district another year. The full list of appointments for the district follows:

Childress, G. W. Shearer; Childress Mission, J. W. Leggett; Chillicothe, C. B. Meador; Crowell, J. H. Hamblin; Dimont, J. W. McCrary; Estelline and Newlin, J. Q. Quattlebaum; Margaret, E. A. Tharp; Odell, O. L. Sisk; Paducah, G. H. Gattis; Quanah, O. P. Clark; Quanah Mission, W. W. Edgar, supply; Tolbert and Fargo, M. P. Hudson; Tell Mission, C. G. Shutt; Supply, Vernon, Henry F. Brooks; J. G. Putnam, superintendency; Vernon circuit, R. V. Tooley; Kirkland, J. P. Watts; missionary secretary, H. M. Long; Army Y. M. C. A., Simon Shaw.

Rev. J. G. Miller, a former Vernon presiding elder, was appointed presiding elder of the Abilene district. Rev. L. B. Tooley, pastor at Estelline the past two years, and former pastor of the Vernon circuit, transferred to the North Texas Conference.

Rev. A. L. Moore and Rev. A. W. Hall, each of whom have served as pastor of the Vernon church, were re-appointed presiding elder of the Plainview and Charendon districts, respectively.

Rev. J. A. Laney, formerly of the Tolbert and Fargo charges, goes to the Wellington circuit. Rev. O. B. Annis, who served the Odell church one year, went to Seminole, and Rev. Z. B. Pirtle, who preceded Rev. R. V. Tooley on the Vernon circuit, was returned to Silverton.

Rev. M. M. Beavers was changed from Chillicothe to Canadian, and another appointment of interest to Vernon people was that of Rev. Sam R. Hay to Amarillo. He was one-time pastor in Vernon.

Rev. R. E. Burns, pastor at Odell until a year ago, was sent to Vera in the Stamford district. Rev. J. W. McCrary, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCrary of this city, was returned to Dimont in this district.

LOSES FINGER LOADING GUN.

Hubert Hendrick lost the fourth finger and first joint of his thumb on the right hand Friday when an automatic rifle fired accidentally. He is a son of R. E. Hendrick, who lives on Route 2, Tolbert.

The boy was loading his rifle, having the butt on the floor, and was holding it with the right hand, supposedly projecting over the end of the barrel. A shot was fired accidentally, blowing off the finger, and making it necessary to amputate the first joint of his thumb.

Route Four Man Has Fine Feed.

W. A. Hammons of Route 4 says that he will make a fine feed crop this year. Mr. Hammons was in town Saturday, and was hopeful that frost would hold off ten days. He says that his cotton is not so good, but has many bolls which would develop if given time.

Third Shipment Peach Seeds Ready.

A third shipment of peach seed are ready at the office of the local Red Cross. Shipments already made amount to 1,832 pounds. The seed are sent to St. Louis, going from there to wherever the Government may direct. They are used to produce carbon which goes in the gas masks used by soldiers.

GERMANY WILL GET OUT OF ALSACE-
LORRAINE AND GIVE UP PRINCIPAL
UNITS OF GREAT HIGH SEAS FLEET

American and Allied Forces Will Occupy Strategic Gateways to Enforce Fulfillment of Armistice Terms at Expense of Central Power—Guns, Airplanes and Other Engines of War to Be Surrendered—Draft Calls Cancelled but Physical Examinations to Continue Until Further Notice.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Terms of the armistice which ended the world war, because they strip Germany of the power to renew it, were announced by President Wilson today in an address to Congress assembled in joint session.

Evacuation of all the invaded territories, including Alsace Lorraine, reparation for all damage done, occupation by Allied forces of principal gateways to Germany, handing over of the principal units of the German high seas fleet, surrender of enough war materials to practically disarm the German forces and the occupation by American and Allied forces of strategic gateways to Germany to enforce the fulfillment of terms, are the principal features brought on the war is provided for and the way paved for reparation for the damage it wrought.

Germany must get out of Russia entirely and leave territory now occupied open to the Allies. Germany must return the thousands of unfortunates she deported into slavery from France, Belgium and the other invaded countries; she must return the gold taken from Russia, Roumania and Belgium; she must make good the property removed by her troops.

Treaties Annulled.

The treaty of Brest-Litovsk which delivered Russia into many hands is to be abandoned; the "peace" dictated at Bucharest, which prostrated Roumania is likewise to be abandoned.

Americans and Allied prisoners are to be repatriated with reciprocal action; what German forces remain in East Africa to surrender unconditionally.

Guns, airplanes and other engines of war numbered by thousands are to be turned over to the associated Government with their accoutrements. No further destruction must be wrought by the retreating German hordes and vast supplies of coal, iron and other war-making materials in the territories occupied must be handed over undamaged.

Germany Must Pay.

Germany is to pay for the maintenance of the troops the associated Governments will place at strategic points in the Rhenish land to assure that her promises shall not be a scrap of paper. German merchant ships are to be handed over undamaged; they may be put into the humane work of relieving the distress of her civil population, which the victorious Allies will at once take in a spirit of mercy.

In the Black Sea as well as in the Baltic, the tentacles of German military machine are to be clipped by the current of the sea. Everywhere on all the fronts Germany is to be delivered her sword while the American and Allied troops positions to enforce her agreement.

Huns Crushed.

Everywhere the great military power which set out to conquer the world in a saturnalia of frightfulness stands humbled. Scarcely one hundred members of the House and Senate in Washington after the election vacation, assembled in the chamber with members of the Cabinet, diplomats and just the war and the terms of the armistice accepted by Germany.

The galleries were crowded and among those leaning over the rail were Mrs. Wilson and General March, chief of staff. Between outbursts of applause, the big House chamber without a sound except the President's voice, slightly hushed. Cheering the news that 160 submarines are to be surrendered brought shouts and yells from the floor and galleries.

"The war thus comes to an end," finally said the President. The audience jumped to its feet cheering. Chas. E. Hughes sat on the floor, was one of the leaders in the applause.

All draft calls have been cancelled. The local Exchange Board, however, will continue physical examinations as he announced until advice has been received to discontinue them.

Mrs. A. B. Swartwood to Washington.

Mrs. A. B. Swartwood will leave Thursday night to accept a position in the office of the Chief of the Motor Transport Corps. She returned Sunday from Dallas, where she has been for some time. Mr. Swartwood is also in the Motor Transport Corps, and Mrs. Swartwood is uncertain whether he has yet gone overseas.

Goes to Arizona.

B. H. Waddle has accepted a position in the Government service at Zuni Indian reservation in Arizona.

Appointed Inspector.

Claude Lloyd, son of Rev. S. E. Lloyd, has been appointed in the Edystone Rifle Planting plants at Edystone, Mo. Lloyd was in Des Moines, Iowa, where he received a limited appointment as a marksman.

Visits Relatives He.

Lieutenant Harlan A. Williams, Jacksonville, Ill., an instructor in the Edystone Rifle Planting plants, spent the week-end with his family of U. S. Davis.

More's Theatre

SATURDAY—"ITALY'S FLAMING FRONT."
COMING—"CRASHING THROUGH TO BERLIN."

TODAY—TUESDAY.

The world's famous star,
J. WARREN KERRIGAN
in "One Dollar Bid."

A story of Kentucky, interwoven with all the picturesque charm, romance and red-blooded action for which that part of the country is so justly famed. Also Comedy.

WEDNESDAY.

Dainty

MARGUERITE CLARK
in "Out of a Clear Sky."

A winsome, a wilful Belgian countess, playing a charming role. Also comedy.

THURSDAY—A METRO WONDER PLAY.

Presenting

MAY ALLISON in "A Successful Adventure"

FRIDAY—FRED STONE and ELLA HALL in "THE GOAT."

SATURDAY—"ITALY'S FLAMING FRONT."

WILL SHIP DRESSED TURKEYS TO MARKET

PRODUCE COMPANY MAKES VERNON CONCENTRATION POINT FOR POULTRY.

White Produce Company plan to ship a carload of dressed poultry out of Vernon to help supply the eastern markets for Thanksgiving, according to G. B. Zachry, local manager. The company has leased the cooling plant of the Texas Public Service Company, placing the turkeys therein as fast as they are dressed.

About 1,800 pounds of dressed birds have been placed in the cooler since Saturday. It is expected that large numbers of turkeys will be brought in this week, which is as late as they can be handled at the high prices prevailing for the eastern trade.

Mr. Zachry says that the company is concentrating turkeys in Vernon from Chillicothe, Quannah, Childress, and points further up on the plains. If this venture proves a success it will become a regular part of the business at the local branch. It was tried once before, but a refrigerator car was used, and the proposition turned out badly. Leasing the cooling plant of the Texas Public Service Company obviates this difficulty.

Hen turkeys must weigh not less than 7 pounds, and toms 11 pounds, or more.

Dawson Valley News

Dawson Valley, Nov. 10.—(By special correspondence.)—All wheat growers are rejoicing over the rain which fell Wednesday night.

The influenza is still raging in this community, however, not so badly as last week. The school has not had to close yet, although several of the pupils are out because of the epidemic.

Mrs. M. J. Fellers, who has been visiting at the home of her sons, S. B. and John Fellers, has gone to spend the winter with her daughter, who lives near Eldorado, Okla.

Mrs. D. B. Matthews and daughter, Nona, from Elliott, spent Monday with Mrs. J. C. Sherrard. They gave one dollar each to the Red Cross, which entitles them to membership in the Vernon chapter. They also asked to become members of this auxiliary and carried home some yarn to do knitting for this auxiliary.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fellers and children have returned from a visit with relatives at Wellington, Texas, and Eldorado, Okla.

Mrs. Marvin Sharp is able to sit up following a severe attack of influenza. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith, who have been sick the past week, are some better.

T. B. Bourland has gone to Keller, Texas, in response to a telegram telling him of the serious condition of his daughter, Mrs. Asa Weaver, and children, who have the influenza.

Mrs. Fred Locke, who has been visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Burns, left yesterday for her home at DeLeon, Texas.

J. M. Napier is in Fort Worth and Dallas on business.

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Mrs. Jo H. Trout

Located on balcony at Russell's.

20 GET RED CROSS CHRISTMAS BOXES

LOCAL ORGANIZATION URGES ALL PERSONS HAVING TAGS TO COME IN.

Twenty persons have secured Christmas boxes from the local Red Cross in which to pack presents for the boys in France. Three boxes have been in sight.

"Please tell the people to bring in their Christmas boxes if they have tags," a Red Cross representative said today. One week from tomorrow night all boxes must be in the hands of the local Red Cross, if they are going to France. Wednesday night, November 20, is the limit. The local Red Cross offices will remain open until midnight.

It is likely that there will be a last-minute rush, and the presents can be handled and inspected so much more satisfactorily if brought in before the last day, that the workers make a special request for persons who intend sending boxes to come in as soon as they get their tags.

Boxes going to the men in the Navy are not under the restrictions as are boxes going to France, except that they must be mailed by November 20. Presents intended for men in camps in the United States are held out only by the usual rules of the postoffice. It is specially urged, however, that they be very carefully boxed.

Wildcat News.

Wildcat, Nov. 11.—(By special correspondence.)—Mitch Patton returned Monday from Dallas, where he had been to attend the funeral of a niece. She died with influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hildebrand have received a card saying their son, Joseph, had arrived in France safely.

Miss Irene McMahon has taken up her position as teacher of the primary pupils. Although the attendance is small now, so many grades are represented, it is inconvenient for one teacher.

Bob Roark, who is working in Vernon, visited homefolks Sunday.

Tut Hildebrand came home Sunday. He had the misfortune to step on a nail which disabled him for work for a week or two. He is a carpenter with the Gulf Pipe-Line Company at Burk Burnett.

Miss Alta Lee Curry is convalescing after an attack of the Spanish influenza.

Jasper Burk, Frank Hildebrand and Roy and Louis Howell are drilling now.

Messrs. Bob and Eunice Wilson of Vernon have rented the Smith place and are having it put in wheat for another year.

Walter McCaleb and Arthur Anderson are sowing wheat on the Armstrong place this week. They finished sowing the Brookshire farm and a part of the Fox farm last week.

Virgil Hildebrand has rented the Manis place for another year. Mr. Mc-

Mahn will move his family back to Sadler. They will go on to the farm which Mrs. McMahon's father has given her. Her father will live with them. Mr. McMahon will continue his work as clerk in a dry goods store in Burk Burnett.

Jasper Burk and Frank Hildebrand went to Odell Thursday on business.

Mrs. J. L. Burk has received news that her nephew, Captain Ethan Simpson of Clarendon, has been wounded in France. After receiving a wound in the side and one in the hip, he killed the German that wounded him, captured four more and made them carry him off the field to the hospital.

Red River News.

Red River, Nov. 10.—(By special correspondence.)—Health is good in our community now.

Mrs. Ruth Pitts of Altus, Okla., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Stowe and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hart spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hart of Odell.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Bingham and Mrs. I. D. Sherrill made a business trip to Vernon Wednesday.

Mrs. Bessie Hughes of Odell is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Tims and family.

Miss Carrie Stockton and Miss Sallie Sherrill were in Odell Wednesday on business.

Olen and Christine Barrett of Vernon are visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Tims and family.

Walter Gale of this community, left Tuesday for Electra.

Andrew Stockton spent Saturday night with Jeff Hart of Odell.

Mrs. Ida Turner and daughter, Miss Alice, made a business trip to Chillicothe Thursday.

FUMIGATION IS URGED.

Mayor Harry Mason Says People Are Criminally Negligent When They Fail to Take Precautions.

Vernon seems to have passed through the epidemic of Spanish influenza with remarkable little suffering in comparison to some other communities. However, physicians are agreed that the danger is not entirely averted. Some municipalities have lifted their ban on public gatherings, only to have to close up a second time.

Mayor Harry Mason says that people in whose homes influenza has been should fumigate, if nothing else, the room where the sick person was, together with the bedding and clothes used by the sick. Certainly persons should not go from a sick room into other homes or into a crowd of people wearing the same clothes they had on when with the sick. Fumigation is inexpensive and not very much trouble.

Dallas and other places found it necessary, in some cases, to quarantine influenza patients, and Mayor Mason says that may be done in Vernon if individuals are careless about communicating the disease. Such is not necessary, he thinks, if people will use common sense in helping prevent a spread of the disease. Carelessness at this point, he thinks, is criminal.

Spitting on the streets or coughing

At the PICTORIUM THEATRE

TODAY—TUESDAY.

GLADYS LESLIE in "SOAP GIRL."

WEDNESDAY.

MABEL NORMAND and **EARLE FOXE**
in "PECK'S BAD GIRL."

Also Smiling Bill Pearsons and Billie Rhoades in 2 reel comedy.

THURSDAY.

"OUT OF THE NIGHT"

with **CATHERINE CALVERT** supported by **HERBERT RAWLINSON.**

Also monkey comedy, Napoleon and Sally.

COMING:

Friday—Constance Talmadge in "Good Night Paul."

Saturday—Alyce Joyce in "Triumph of Weak."



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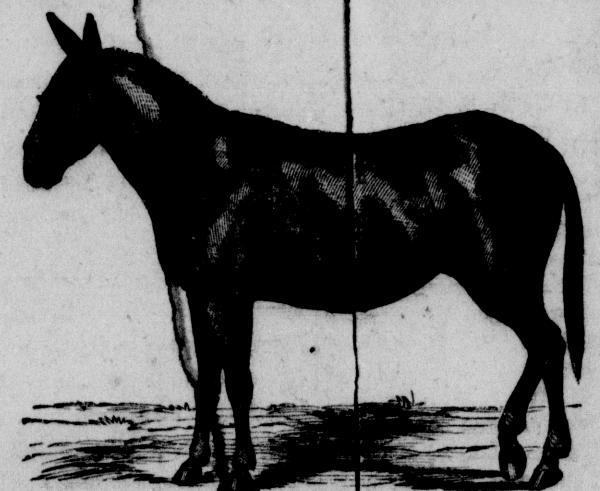
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TAGS ARE NECESSARY ONLY ON
PRESENTS GOING TO MEN ON
WESTERN FRONT.

Christmas packages intended for men in the United States Navy do not have to be accompanied by a tag sent home by the soldier to his nearest kin. The limit fixed by the Government on boxes going to the navy is 20 pounds. This applies, even though the recipient may be a seaman in European waters.

Neither is it necessary the Red Cross officials explain, to have a tag for presents going to men who are known to be in Siberia. There will likely be less congestion of mail to other places in the Western front, and that is what the postal authorities are trying to avoid. They know that if the mail to men on the Western front becomes congested it will be long past Christmas before presents reach those for whom they are intended.

Local officers of the Red Cross are receiving many inquiries about gifts intended for men in the navy, and it is hoped this notice will serve as the workers are overwhelmed with other tasks and desire to avoid as much writing as possible. Packages must be mailed not later than November 20.

A number of tags were received by parties whose sons and relatives are in France, and many Christmas boxes are being brought in. These should be in the hands of the local Red Cross by November 20.

Red River News.

Red River, Nov. 10.—(By special correspondence.)—This community received a fine rain Wednesday and Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Tims made a business trip to Vernon Monday.

The Red River school began Monday, November 4 with twenty pupils present. Miss Theresa Hazard is teacher.

Mrs. Bessie Hughes returned to her home at Odell Thursday after a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Tims of this community.

Miss Connie Stockton of the Red River community spent Wednesday and Wednesday night with Miss Sallie Pearl Sherrill of the Belle community.

Will Ruth of this community has moved his family to Warren Bucy's place southeast of Odell.

Herbert Sims from Amarillo is visiting relatives in this community. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wyatt and Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Crawford.

Uncle Bill Perry was in Odell Thursday.

W. S. Wyatt and J. Johnson made a business trip to Odell Thursday.

W. D. Stockton was in Odell Wednesday with cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hart spent Friday and Friday night with G. W. Hart of Odell.

P. H. Bingham was in Odell Wednesday.

J. F. Hart made a business trip to Chillicothe Friday.

We have no new cases of Spanish Influenza in our community at this writing.

T. A. Hamilton was in Odell Thursday.

S. E. Hite and son, Homer, and Francis Smith of White City were in this community Wednesday.

ODELL PERSONALS.

Miss Mary Priddy has gone to Wellington, where she will begin her school work Monday morning.

Mrs. L. A. Price, who has been with her daughter, Mrs. C. W. Stults for several months, left Saturday for her home in Grand Prairie, Texas.

Oliver Lowry and Carl Wynn, two

Odell boys, have written their parents that they were gassed recently on the Western front. They are with the 36th division.

W. P. Starr and C. W. Stults spent Tuesday in Wichita Falls.

Ausley Priddy has written his father, T. B. Priddy, that he has "gone over the top" twice without injury. He is with the 36th division. The letter was dated October 20th.

The following births are reported: Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Barnes, a boy, November 5th; Mr. and Mrs. T. P. A. Elliott, a boy, November 8th.

Little Alton Belcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Belcher, is reported very sick with influenza.

J. B. Ross has been absent from the bank for a week suffering with influenza.

Miss Alma Beach of Wichita Falls is visiting Miss Maggie Vasey.

Red Bluff News.

Red Bluff, Nov. 9.—(By special correspondence.)—Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Welch went to Harrold Saturday to visit her mother, Mrs. Yarbrough.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kleschnick have returned home after visiting several weeks with his parents and relatives at Bishop and other points in southern Texas.

Olin and Christine Barrett came home Tuesday after visiting the past week with their aunt Mrs. Tims.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bolton visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnson and daughter, Mrs. Lucy Clifton, Sunday.

Miss Fay Johnson has been sick with a severe cold, but is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnson were visitors in Vernon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Duke of Hinds visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jordan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kell Castleberry visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderson Sunday evening.

Mrs. W. B. Smithson has finished her fifteenth pair of socks for the Red Cross. She is enthusiastic over her work.

Mr. and Mrs. August Danubelm left Tuesday for New York, where they will make their home.

A number of young people visited

Miss Louella Jordan Sunday evening. Mrs. Nora Norton of Hinds visited Mrs. B. F. Lane Tuesday evening.

Hinds News.

Hinds, Nov. 7.—(By special correspondence.)—The weather has been ideal for wheat drilling the last six days and nearly every one has finished this work.

The opening of school has been postponed on account of so much influenza in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Magness of near Farwell, have been here the past week, attending to business and visiting friends and relatives. They returned home Monday.

William Parks moved from the A. Allison farm to Vernon the past week. Tom Duke and family visited West Jordan of the Red Bluff community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Muller attended Mrs. Fred Lovelace's funeral at Fargo, October 29. Mrs. Lovelace died from pneumonia following influenza. This community joins in sympathy for the bereaved ones.

B. B. Cobb of Alvord visited his sister, Mrs. Mintie Wood, Saturday.

John Allison lost a good horse Sunday night, caused from eating wheat.

Frank Crosseand moved to Vernon Friday. He has accepted a position in the flour mill there.

Mrs. Will May received a message Thursday night that her sister, Mrs. Walter Smith of Winder, Georgia, had died that day of pneumonia, following an attack of influenza. We join Mrs. May's family in sympathy.

Joe Tyson and Miss Meta McClure of Davidson, Okla., visited at Clyde

Muller's Sunday. Mr. Tyson is a brother of Mrs. Muller.

Miss Floy Lyles spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Rosa Moore.

A. and J. D. Allison left Monday for the plains country overland. They will drill several hundred acres of wheat on A. Allison's farm near Tulia. Charlie Castleberry and family of White City visited at Kell Castleberry's Sunday.

Will May received a letter from his son, Earl, Saturday, who is on the battle front in France. Earl wrote he was well and getting along fine.

Vernon Hobson, who has been sick with pneumonia following influenza is reported much better. His mother, Mrs. Hobson of Decatur, is with him. His grandfather, Costen Gentry, who was here several days returned to Decatur Monday.

There will be Sunday School next Sunday at 10 a. m.

Mrs. Annie Taylor was a business visitor in Vernon Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bolton visited Mrs. Bolton's mother, Mrs. Will Nunn of Wildcat, last Tuesday night.

Jack Moore received a letter from his son, Arthur, Friday. Arthur has been stationed at Camp Travis. He wrote the letter on the train and said they were going 40 miles an hour on their way to Jacksonville, Florida. He was enjoying the trip.

Frank Anderson carried cotton to town Tuesday.

Mrs. Effie Hobson visited Mrs. Frank Anderson Monday.

Mrs. O. J. Hughes received a letter from her son, Earl, last week. It was dated October 11th. He was well and said he thought the war would

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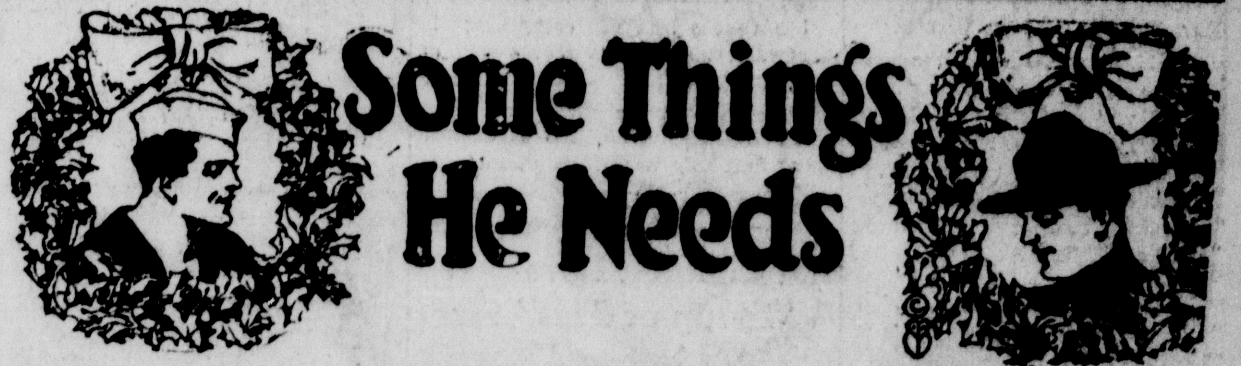
The packages must all be mailed before November 15 so as to reach their destination on time.

There are hundreds and hundreds of useful things to be found in our store that will fit into a soldier's kit and give him the home-like comforts that he so much appreciates. Remember him only with useful gifts and buy them HERE.

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Fountain Pens	\$2.00 to \$10.00	Hair Brushes and Combs	\$5.00 to \$7.50
Identification Card Cases	\$1.00 to \$3.00	Box Stationery	50c to \$5.00
Kodaks	\$5.00 to \$65.00	Box Candy	\$1.50 to \$7.50
Army Watches	\$2.00 to \$6.00	Useful Pieces in White Ivory	50c to \$8.50
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Every soldier wants useful gifts, so make it a point to select some thing that will be a lasting pleasure. Nowhere can you find a better place to choose gifts than here.

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Pocket Leather Picture Frames	\$3.00	Novelty Cigarette Cases	\$3.50 U
Miniature Cases	\$3.50-\$25.00	Neck Chain and Identification Tags	\$4.50
Wrist Watches	\$15.00-\$30.00	Wrist Identification Tags	\$3.50 to \$5.50
Fountain Pens	\$1.50-\$10.00	Solid gold Insignia Rings	\$12.50
		Traveling Kits, complete	\$7.50-\$25.00

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COMMITTEES FOR WAR WORK NAMED

MRS. W. D. BERRY ASKS EVERY WOMAN AND CHILD IN COUNTY TO HELP.

Mrs. W. D. Berry, county chairman of the Woman's Division of the War Work Campaign, has named the following committees which are actively engaged in the war work campaign to raise Wilbarger county's quota. If there is a woman or child in the county who has been overlooked in the campaign, and who wishes to subscribe to the fund, Mrs. Berry asks that such person please telephone her name and the amount she will subscribe to one of the women on the membership committees.

Mrs. J. Myatt Napier is district leader of the Girl's Division. Mrs. H. B. Farrell is county chairman of the Girl's Division.

Mrs. Harry Mason is chairman of the membership committee. Other members are Mmes. H. B. Wilhelm, C. T. Smith, A. M. Hiatt, Joe Napier, S. W. Bailey, W. E. Mays, H. K. Grever, S. E. Trevathan, and L. E. McCurdy.

Mrs. A. H. Murchison is chairman of Missionary Societies and Sunday Schools. Her co-workers are Mmes. W. N. Stokes, D. H. Henry, J. E. Collins, and R. D. L. Killough.

Mrs. Geo. W. Backus is chairman of Women's Clubs. Her associate is Mrs. J. G. Sherman.

Of Girls' Clubs, Mrs. F. L. Massie is chairman. Her associates are Mmes. Wm. M. Schindler, C. S. McCulloch, Dee Norwood, G. C. Morris, and Misses Irma Rhoads, Ada Pierce, and Ethel Hagey.

Mmes. L. G. Hawkins and J. E. Dodson are in charge of publicity work.

Miss Lillian Newton is chairman of public schools. Her co-workers are Mmes. Della Houssels and Ethel Farrell, and Misses Rosalyn Baird, Susie Scott, Florence Womack, Alice Young, Myrtle McKinney, Lillian Berry, Flossie Green, Lizzie Wines, Carrie Britton, Alice McCarty, Ruth Biekle, Roberta Scott, Flora Goodwin, Blanche Groves, Mary Lynn Walker, Carolyn Dial, Birdie Lee Burkhalter, Lora Long, Allie Reese, and Flossie Tacker.

Oklahoma News.

Oklahoma, Nov. 7.—(By special correspondence.)—J. Barnes, who has recently resigned as manager of the Farmers Gin Company, has moved to Memphis, where he will start to work.

The Farmers Gin Company has ginned 312 bales to date. On account of so much damp weather there has not been very much cotton picked lately.

The school is putting up a flag pole several feet high on which they will soon raise a United States flag.

Marion Brock and Hugh Starnes made a business trip to Electra Monday by motorcycle.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Stark received word from their daughter at Wichita Falls that her baby had died. Mr. Stark and family went to Wichita Falls Saturday by automobile to attend the funeral, and came back Monday. Friends in this community join them in heartfelt sympathy.

Rev. J. J. Couchern filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday morning. A large crowd attended.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Roberts received word Friday from their son, Clyde, stating that the ship on which he sailed had arrived safely over the sea. Mr. and Mrs. Roberts have two boys in the army now, and two that are expecting to go soon.

On account of the frost being late the farmers are going to make a very good crop of hollies.

The wheat farmers are all about through sowing now and are soon going to have plenty of wheat pasture, which will aid them very much in feeding their stock through the winter.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Reeder who has been sick for the past few days, died Wednesday. The body was placed in East View cemetery Friday afternoon. Friends in this community join them in greatest sympathy.

Mrs. Will Nettles returned yesterday from Larule, where she was called to the bedside of her brother who died before she reached home.

Fort Worth Man Likes Vernon.

W. E. Hawkins of Fort Worth was in Vernon Sunday and yesterday, visiting his brother, L. G. Hawkins. Mr. Hawkins is one of the great Sunday school workers of Texas. Sunday morning he spoke to the Methodist Sunday school urging them to realize the importance of their work. Mr. Hawkins says Vernon has the highest class of citizenship of most any town he has ever visited.

Plainview News.

Plainview, Nov. 8.—(By special correspondence.)—Health in this community is good. There is not much influenza now.

The showers since Wednesday are keeping hands out of the cotton patch. H. D. Tennyson is improving the looks of his rent houses with weatherboards and paint. Mrs. Staleup's house is also being remodeled this week.

Mrs. Z. M. Crutchfield returned this week from Sayre, Okla., where she was called by phone to the bedside of the family of her son, L. C. Crutchfield. All were down with Spanish Influenza. They are just able to be up and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Peek have gone to be with them awhile.

Rev. A. Lynn filled his appointment here Sunday afternoon. Also at Odell at night. Some of the Plainview congregation attended Odell services.

The neighborhood or cottage prayer meeting was held at Mr. Horn's and well attended. Miss Jewell Robinson was leader. The next meeting will be at Z. M. Crutchfield's with Brother Reed leader.

Grandpa Birchfield is at Harrold this week with his daughter, Mrs. S. King, who is low with Spanish Influenza. The last report was that she had relapsed. The rest of the family are well.

B. C. Carter happened to a very painful accident while helping Hugh Gibson load his farm implements on the car for shipment to Oklahoma, where he is moving. A hand was badly mashed while loading a cultivator.

Friends of Ole Davis, will be glad to

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know that he now has a position with the Government in Nitro, West Virginia, as foreman in the powder plant. Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baker deeply sympathize with them in the loss of Mrs. Baker's mother, Mrs. Joe Brock, who died in Vernon Friday morning of last week. Burial took place Sunday at Odessa Cemetery, Oklahoma.

Woodman Circle at Thrift Bank.

Ladies of the Woodman Circle will have charge of the War Savings Bank Wednesday, November 13. Miss Ethel Hangey and Mrs. Charlie Bailey will be at the bank in the morning. Mrs. J. E. Collins and Mrs. George Robinson will have charge in the afternoon. The Presbyterian ladies sold \$186.82 worth of stamps Wednesday of last week.

RED CROSS WANTS CLOTHING.

Local Chapter Finding Many Who Need Something to Wear During Cold Weather.

The local Red Cross wants clothing to be given to relatives of men who are fighting in the United States army. Small coats for girls and boys, and shoes are perhaps most needed.

A pair of No. 6 shoes with low heel and broad toe is specially needed now, the Home Service Section announces. These are wanted for a woman who is working pulling bollsies, and her feet are on the ground. She has two sons in the army, and will get an allowance, but it has been delayed somewhere. In the meantime the Home Service Section of the Red Cross proposes to see that

she does not suffer.

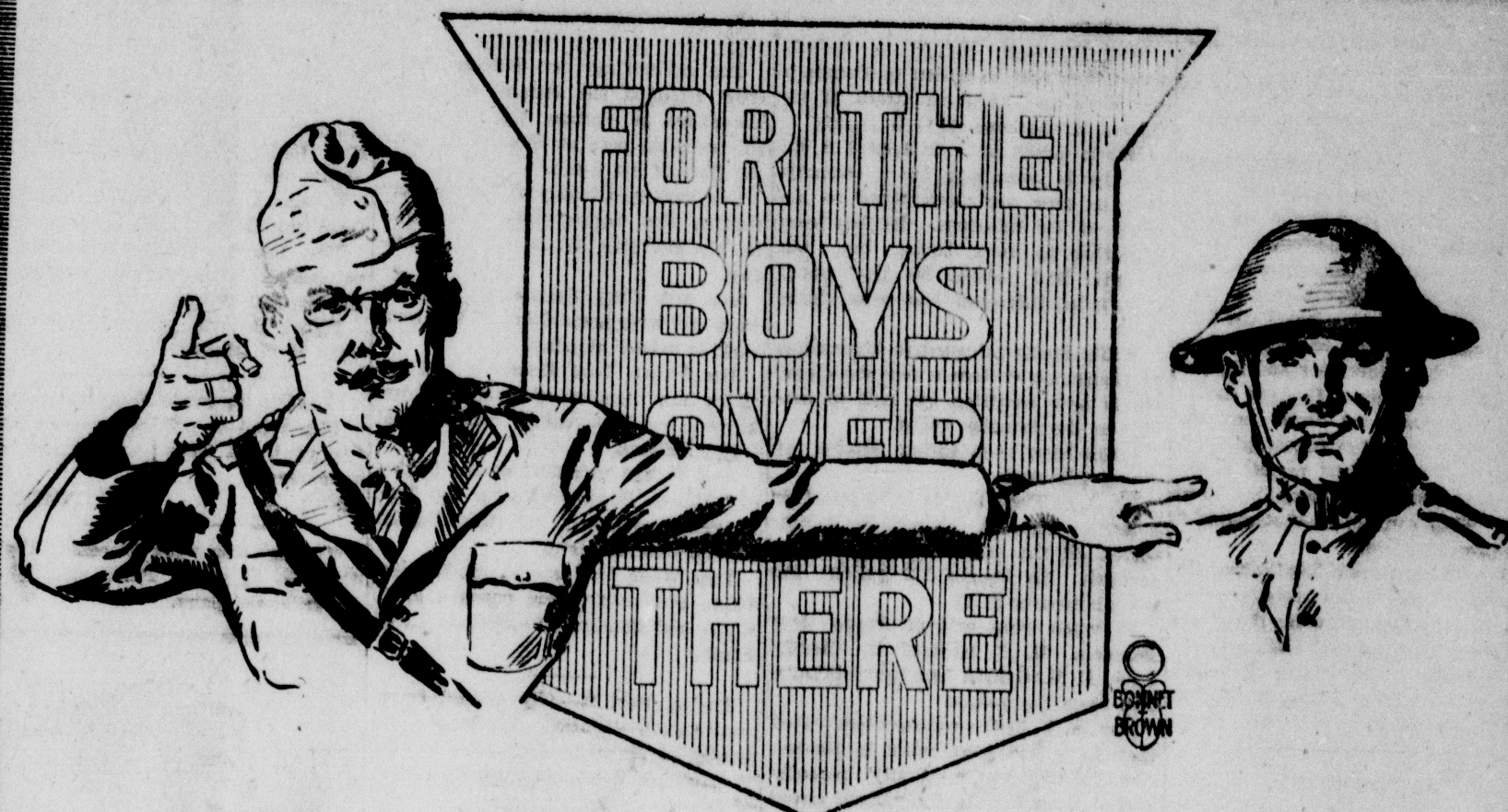
One woman's home was blown away by the cyclone last week, and practically all of the clothes she and her children had were destroyed. The Home Service Section of the Red Cross is in the Bailey Hotel building, next door to The Vernon Record.

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OPEN SEASON FOR GAME ANNOUNCED

STATE WARDEN CLEARS UP ERRONEOUS IDEAS BY STATEMENT OF LAW.

Austin, Texas, Nov. 7.—(By special correspondence.)—Below is given the correct description of the open season on game in Texas. Some confusion and conflicting publications have occurred which are reflected in the numerous inquiries received at the State Game, Fish and Oyster Department. Violations of the law are occurring as a result of these erroneous statements and the State Game Warden advises that the open seasons are as follows:

Quails—December and January.
Deer—November and December; limit, three buck deer.

Doves—September and October in North Texas; December and January in South Texas.

Turkeys—November, December and January. Limit, three gobblers. Exceptions: Several East Texas counties, including Dallas and Rockwall, where the turkey season is March and April with a bag limit of two turkeys. The same group of counties forbid the killing of squirrels except in August, September, October, November and December, and a bag limit of five per day.

Ducks—There is no State law, except fixing bag limit at fifteen per day. The Federal regulations permit shooting of ducks and geese from Oct. 15 to Jan. 1. They can not be shot out of a motor-propelled boat.

The State law fixes a bag limit of fifteen on quails, doves and ducks, straight or in combination, that is, the day's sport must not show over fifteen feathered trophies. There can be eight quails, five doves and two ducks, but not fifteen of each.

Fargo News.

Fargo, Nov. 9.—(By special correspondence.)—Fargo public school will not open until November 25. It had been planned to open Monday, November 11, but at a meeting Friday attended by J. T. Marr and J. S. Mason representing the trustees, Miss Allen of Crowell, superintendent, and Misses Leola Smith, Jenkins, and Allen, representing the teachers, together with pupils who were well enough to be present, further postponement was decided upon.

Trustees W. J. McLaughlin was unable to be present on account of sickness. It is hoped the influenza will have died out by that time. This is indeed a trying time upon all the people, yet we should bear our burdens as the soldier does. Our troubles are nothing compared to his. However it causes us to think more of what it means for him to suffer for us, that we may escape the atrocities of the Hun.

This epidemic of Spanish influenza makes us feel that as after every war there comes the reconstruction period, and so with this, there should come the reconstruction period in each of our own hearts and lives and in the community as a whole. We sometimes become so very busy with material things of life that we forget God, our church relationship, and our duty to others, so that when sickness comes our hearts and minds turn to God to seek His will concerning us, to beg of Him forgiveness, to thank, and praise Him for His everlasting goodness, mercy and love for us, realizing His great power and love manifested in His gift of Jesus, that His name shall be glorified and honored above all others. Sickness is a trying time for meditation and serious thinking of our duty to God and humanity. We are here to serve others. Remember that Jesus said about the good samaritan. We owe everything that can be given in service to the whole wide world, and even though some good neighbors from a distance of several miles did not want to take the Spanish influenza they would come to wait on the sick, because in many cases all the family of from four to six members would be sick at the same time. These deeds of care are not forgotten. Our community, as all communities, should be drawn closer each other. Let's give God all the praise. Our hearts are sad because of the loss of the loved ones who have gone on us, but in all things we must be submissive to His will.

Dr. D. T. Jordan has 220 cases of pneumonia under his care, including 20 cases of pneumonia. Every one appreciates Dr. Jordan's faithfulness to patients. His own family are suffering from the influenza. The families of John Rhea, Mrs. Dan Lee, D. J. Wilhelm, J. L. Crisp, C. Smith, H. S. Bridges, Artie Hayes, Mrs. Dwight Lovelace and Miss Mel Sweatmon have about recovered from the influenza.

Miss Alice Harrell has returned from plains where she has been visiting for several weeks. Mr. and Mrs. John Rhea were called to Electra last week on account of the death of Mrs. Rhea's brother, W. Ray Owens visited her mother-

in-law, Mrs. J. P. Owens and family last week.

Regular preaching services and Sunday schools were resumed Sunday, November 3.

Roy Owens is working at Burk Burnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Swanson, Will Castleberry and family, J. L. Crisp, Jesse Parker, W. W. Jackson, J. T. Marr, F. M. Cullum, H. E. Key, Charlie Mason, T. C. Mason, Rupert Bardsdell, F. F. Lovelace, C. S. Smith and family, Dr. D. T. Jordan, Hardy Cabe, Geo. Goins and sister, Mrs. A. H. Seidlits were business visitors in Vernon last week.

J. D. and Wayne Goins have come to live with their father, Geo. Goins. The boys have lived with relatives in Oklahoma since the death of their mother.

R. E. Owens and family of Doans spent Sunday with J. L. Crisp's family. Miss Winnie Owens is staying at the home of Dr. Jordan's this week, while his family is sick.

Miss Elizabeth Knipp, the trained nurse, was able to return to Vernon a few days ago, after an attack of influenza at the home of C. S. Smith.

Melvin Green at Paris Island, S. C., says he is home sick for a woman's face, as they are quarantined on account of the influenza. He has been expecting to come home, but his friends had rather he stay where there's no influenza and come home later.

Willis Smith returned to his studies at Clarendon College a few days ago. He is now awaiting his call to service in the aviation corps.

Folks have been eating ducks at Fargo this week.

Dr. A. T. Hays is able to be up after a few days illness. He says he has received all the castor oil that can be secured. He bought 1-2 gallon for something over \$3.00.

27 votes were cast at Fargo last Tuesday. R. B. Richardson, Hardy Cabe, F. M. Cullum and Dwight Lovelace were the judges.

Mrs. A. V. Bellar writes friends that they have had good rains in Denton county, where the family recently moved from Fargo. They have sowed about 50 acres of wheat and oats.

The fine rain that fell Wednesday afternoon and night makes the fall onions, turnips and grains of all kinds grow as beautifully as spring. The farmers are so much encouraged over prospects for the coming year.

H. E. Key and C. S. Smith have been busy looking after their cattle and pastures recently.

The cyclone that passed at the edge of Fargo did not do any damage to speak of in this community, but passing by Goodpasture, Sherwood and Doans, it tore up houses, cars, sheds, vehicles, and crops. Fortunately no one was hurt. The cyclone struck at 4 p. m. Wednesday. A little hail fell.

The Fargo correspondent has been very sorry about being so slow in sending the news and the short items. The many words of kindness about how the readers appreciate the news have been very much appreciated.

RED CROSS HONEY NETS \$16.40.

Local Chapter Will Give Away Table and Chairs Made by Dr. A. R. Taylor.

The local Red Cross realized \$16.40 from a case of honey donated by J. E. Peel of Crystal City. Mr. Peel formerly lived in Vernon, and shipped the honey back here. It was disposed of by J. H. Pendleton.

Mrs. W. H. Huggins reports that the following auxiliaries have made remittances to the county chapter to be used on local expenses since September 1: West Vernon \$60.40, Fargo \$53, Elliott \$53, Wildcat \$58, Tolbert \$50.65, Bourland \$53, Talmage \$1.

The Red Cross will give away a table and four chairs Saturday afternoon. It was made by Dr. A. R. Taylor and is done in imitation of oak of latest design, child's size.

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Calomel loses you a day! You know what calomel is. It's mercury; quicksilver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashes into your bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system.

When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a dose of dangerous calomel just remember that your druggist sells for a few cents a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone, which is entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for calomel. It is guaranteed to start your liver without stirring you up inside, and can not salfate.

Don't take calomel! It makes you sick the next day; it loses you a day's work. Dodson's Liver Tone straightens you right up and you feel great. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and doesn't gripe.

Thalia News.

Thalia, Nov. 4.—(By special correspondence.)—Alfred Davis of Crowell spent Saturday night and Sunday with friends around Thalia.

S. E. Seales and Claude Davis were among the number in Crowell Saturday.

Mrs. W. A. Johnson has returned from a visit with relatives in Cimmaron county, and in Oklahoma.

Mrs. W. R. Huggins, who has been very sick, is better at this writing.

T. A. Johnson and daughter, Myrtle, Annie Mae Neill and Knuxie Burress, were in Vernon Saturday. Knuxie stayed over night with her sister and family, Mrs. Lou Tapp.

Leta Haney spent Saturday night and Sunday at home with Fannie Shultz.

Mrs. W. I. Aubrey and son, Jim, are on the sick list.

Fred Reynolds and father, J. L. Reynolds, were in town Monday.

The gin did not run Tuesday. The crew attended the funeral of C. W. Teagarden at Vernon. Mr. Teagarden was working here at this gin prior to the time of his death.

Lon Tapp and family of Vernon were visiting Mrs. Tapp's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Burress, Sunday.

Sue and John Thompson spent the week end with home folks. They went back to school Monday.

Jim Owens, Lora Hembree, and one of the lady teachers of Margaret, were in town Sunday evening. They visited Mabel Roberts.

Rev. Gattys preached at the Methodist church Sunday evening and Rev. Pearson preached at the Baptist Church Sunday night.

Tom Wade and family of Waurika, Okla., are visiting his parents, J. C. Wade and family, one mile south of Thalia.

Thalia, Nov. 9.—(By special correspondence.)—Montie Wisdom and family, of Mangum, Okla., are moving to Grandpa Wisdom's farm northwest of town.

Bertha Durham had a bone felon lanced this week, from which she is suffering very much.

Mrs. J. G. Thompson is real sick with the influenza.

W. H. Nichols of Seymour was here on business Tuesday.

The baby of W. R. Huggins is very sick from eating prickly pears. It is better at this writing.

B. L. Lawrence of Gainesville was here Monday looking after business.

Charlie Hathaway made a trip to Wichita Falls Monday.

J. L. Sims, father and mother were in Crowell Tuesday.

Marvin Phillips and Bob Abston were in Vernon Friday.

Fred Brown came in Thursday night from Fort Sam Houston on a furlough.

Garland Burns has the influenza. He is better at this writing. He will

probably be back at work Monday or Tuesday.

Fannie Wisdom, Leta Haney and Norman Gray are on the sick list. R. B. Edwards was in Thalia Saturday on business.

Misses Adele Ragland, Sophronia Staton, Fannie Shultz, Mr. and Mrs. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gray and Mrs. Wood Roberts spent a few social hours at W. T. Brown's Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Johnson and daughter, Myrtle, were in Crowell Friday.

The teachers and school children spent the day Saturday picking cotton for Will Johnson. They will buy W. S. S. with their money.

Jim Owens expects to leave for training camp the 21st. His position at the gin will be vacant.

Sylvan Haney entered school at Bowie, Texas, but on account of the influenza, school was quarantined. Sylvan returned home and will go back soon as the quarantine is raised.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Johnson and D. M. Shultz went to Vernon in response to a phone message from their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Shultz. Mrs. Shultz has the influenza and Mr. Shultz has pneumonia.

George Burress came in Saturday from San Diego, Calif., on a furlough. Rev. Pearson filled his regular appointment Saturday and Sunday at the Baptist church.

Mabel Roberts spent Friday night with T. M. Haney.

Let Me Renovate Your Mattress.

Phone 124 or call at Renfro's Lumber yard and have your old mattress renovated.

Turkeys this week 22 cents. Bring them in at once. Phone 286, White Produce Company.

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THE TIME, THE PLACE

AND THE GIRL.

Dinner time, this restaurant the place, and the girl—well, your sweetheart, wife, sister, mother or just that dear friend of yours who likes good food appetizingly prepared and temptingly served. Here you will find the quiet refinement and lack of jarring noises usually in evidence. May we serve you?

WHITE ROSE CAFE

Clip the Coupon

—Thrifty people always clip coupons—although they seldom get 20 per cent. That is what the coupon at the bottom of this advertisement is worth to you. It means 20 cents on each \$1 you invest in our long-lived aluminum cooking ware.

Get Acquainted With Our Goods.

—There's no use talking the merits of aluminum pots and pans to you—intelligent housewives already know the economy, as well as the satisfaction, of using aluminum cooking utensils.



—We want you to become acquainted with Herring-Bennett quality. Our friends know that they get better values by trading with us. They know Herring-Bennett Quality and Price slogan always means a little more than we say.

—We are making this SPECIAL COUPON OFFER to introduce to you our goods. Clip and bring the coupon with you. It is worth 20c if you invest \$1; \$1 if you invest \$5; \$2 if you invest \$10, in our aluminum ware.

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This coupon entitles bearer to 20 per cent of the amount invested in aluminum cooking utensils—if presented at the time of purchase to Herring-Bennett Lumber Company. Sign the coupon and bring it with you.

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Even a diamond can't flash its fire until it has been cut and polished. Its brilliance must be ground out of it; and so must your merit be rubbed out of you.—Herbert Kaufman

Saving a little each week is a grind at first, but as the fire of the diamond flashes after it has been ground, so will a BANK ACCOUNT brighten your aspect of life.

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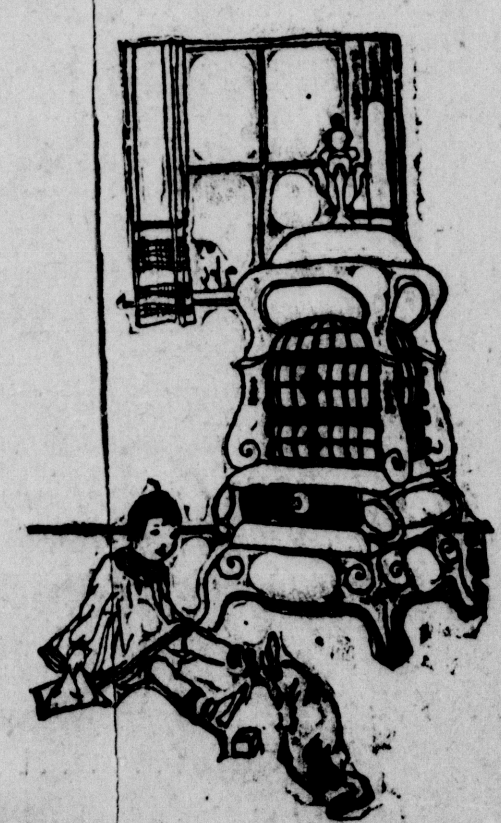
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A faulty heating stove not only means discomfort, but the excessive fuel consumed will prove a source of constant and unnecessary expense that you can easily avoid.

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We Are Now Ready for Thanksgiving Turkeys, and will Pay Fancy Price for Good No. 1 Stock

Hen Turkeys, 7 Pounds and Over 22c

Tom Turkeys, 11 Pounds and Over 22c

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If you get the advantage of the big Eastern markets, you will have to get your Turkeys in this week, as we must have time to dress and pack them.

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POPULAR WICHITA OFFICER IS KILLED

LIEUTENANT ALFRED H. CARRIGAN, JR., HAD MANY FRIENDS HERE.

The following from the Wichita Daily Times is printed concerning the untimely death of Lieutenant Alfred H. Carrigan, Jr., because of the many friends the young man and his parents have in Vernon and Wilbarger county. The letter was written by Captain Duncan M. Perkins of the 142nd Infantry.

My Dear Judge: Your noble son, Alfred Pat, is dead. He was instantly killed on the morning of the 11th gallantly leading his men over the top in one of the fiercest and most sternly contested battles of this terrible war. Pat was shot in the head, a small clean wound and death was instantaneous.

Dear friend, there is nothing I can say to you and Mrs. Carrigan in your terrible loss, other than what is left of Pat's company is in tears and not a man in the company but would give his life to recall Pat. Our Colonel and whole regiment feels that we have lost one of our bravest and ablest officers. Have served in two wars myself and know I never had as a comrade in arms an abler or more efficient young officer. Loving you as I do, almost like a father, I know what you must suffer.

"A noble son of a noble sire" gave his all for human liberty, giving same freely in life's morning, when the sun was the brightest. He now sleeps on a foreign battlefield far away from Texas blue skies. We have marked his grave and Mr. Frank Kell has the location with measurements. When this terrible nightmare is over, if there are any of us left, we will bring him back to dear old Texas and mark his grave in a suitable manner so.

That his glory may not be forgot.

While Fame her record keeps.

Or Valor points the hallowed spot.

Where Heroes proudly sleep.

We are still fighting desperately, our battle line far flung blazing and burning steadily ahead night and day, the Hun prisoners saying they never fought such savage troops as our Texas boys. Some of our companies are commanded by corporals so you see we have willing! paid the price.

Sadly, your friend,

D. M. PERKINS.

Captain of Inf., U. S. Army, A. E. F.

Pat Carrigan was the first Wichita Falls born boy whom it is definitely known has paid the supreme price in the fight for world right. When war was first declared he gave up his college course, at the University of Texas, and went to the first Leon Springs Training camp, but when offered a com-

mission in the Texas National Guard companies which were being organized here left the camp, and came to Wichita Falls to assist in the recruiting, choosing to be with the boys from home.

He was commissioned a second lieutenant but was promoted to first, and while at Camp Bowie was one of the best liked of the officers, as well as making him loved by young and old alike during his boyhood and school days.

Now never again to be taken up, were his shyness and his never failing humor. There were many other good qualities in the boy and the young man, which will make him long remembered by those that knew him, and which cause his loss to be a great one, both to the organization with which he was serving, and to his family and friends.

This first Wichita Falls boy to fall in battle represented two of the most prominent families of this section, the Carrigan and Barwise families, whose names have been prominently connected with the growth of Wichita Falls since its first settlement. Of his immediate family there are living in this city his grandfather and mother, two sisters, Mrs. Carter McGregor and Miss Elizabeth Carrigan, and one brother, Cadet Joe Carrigan, Air Service, who was sent here from Camp Dick, Dallas, to commence his flying training only last week.

There are a number of uncles and aunts and other relatives, as well as a practically unlimited number of friends, to whom the news comes as a source of sadness, and who feel a sense of personal bereavement in the loss of the young man whose past had been filled with right living and whose future seemed so promising.

Willing to Oblige. Policeman (rounding up draft suspects)—Have you got a card?

The Suspected One (with suitcase)—A whole case of 'em! Which do you want to see—draft, registration, meat, sugar, calling, milk, playing or postal card?—Judge.

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MAY USE YOUNGER MEN FOR Y. M. C. A.

AGE LIMIT FOR HOME SERVICE IS REDUCED FROM 37 TO 32 YEARS.

The demand for men in Y. M. C. A. work in army camps has become so pressing that the age limit has been reduced from 37 to 32 years. These men must be in one of the deferred classes, and can only be used in America.

In a letter addressed to Rev. H. E. Stubbs, chairman of the committee in charge of this district, the Executive Secretary of the Texas Recruiting Committee says:

"At a recent conference held at San Antonio the rules under which we have been recruiting men were amended. We may now accept men between the ages of thirty-two and thirty-seven, not in Class I, for American service. This is because our need is very great in the home camps, since so many men have been sent overseas.

"The chance to do a big piece of Christian work in our home camps ought to appeal to many of our younger men. Can't you find such?"

"The call for men fit for overseas service is stronger than ever. We have a special call for men who can serve as accountants and physical directors. The latest estimate of the need is 1,000 men a month for all branches of the service. A special cable has just been received from France calling attention to the extra demand arising for men in our service when the fighting is over, because then we will have our big chance.

"Shall we not do our best to get our share of these men in Texas?"

Men for foreign service must be over thirty-seven years old. Persons interested should see Rev. H. E. Stubbs, W. H. Huggins, W. N. Stokes, or B. O. Brown.

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WANTED.

WANTED TO BUY—Pigs weighing from 40 to 90 pounds. T. J. Summerour. Phone 525. 80-10c

WANTED—A girl to help with house work. Phone 176

LOST—FOUND—STRAYED

STRAYED—From G. R. McLean's pasture northeast of Vernon, one red cow, not branded. Silt in right ear. Notify R. E. Hendrick, R. 2, Tolbert, Tex.

LOST—Between Vernon and Odell set of sales record and order books for W. T. Rawleigh Company. Finder return to C. W. Lemon, Odell, Texas. Reward, \$6.25.

FOR SALE

Livestock and Poultry. FOR SALE—A few choice cockerels, White Wyandottes, Black Minorcas and Cornish. First come first served. B. F. Holcomb, southeast Central School building. 7814c

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FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished light housekeeping rooms for couple without children. Phone 451. 11p

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Notice, Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas, County of Wilbarger:

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Texas, levied on as the property of W. L. Price and Lucy Price, to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$2154.80 in favor of Herring-Bennett Lumber Co., together with all interest and costs of suit. Given under my hand, this 11th day of November, A. D. 1918. 86-31 Tu. J. D. KEY, Sheriff.

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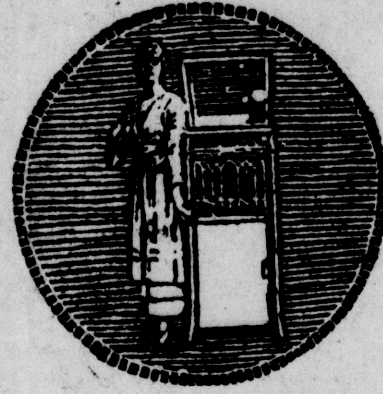
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WOMEN WILL STUDY FOOD CONSERVATION

RURAL ORGANIZER ADVISES AGAINST FORMING SEPARATE CLUB LOCALLY.

Miss Helen Higgins, rural organizer of women's home demonstration work under direction of the Co-operative Extension Work of the State and United States, was in Vernon Saturday for the purpose of talking over with local women the matter of taking up the study of food conservation.

The work will be done under supervision of Miss Ohmie Wilcox, home demonstration agent. It is planned to submit a course of study which will continue throughout the year without, however, the organization of another club. Women from the various clubs will be asked to take up the course of study, and demonstrations can be given by them, with the assistance of Miss Wilcox, to the clubs now organized.

In the county it may be necessary to form clubs in some of the communities. In other places clubs already organized can handle the work.

There will be a number of lessons on different subjects—for instance, six lessons on meat. This will be followed by a series of lessons on the food value of other articles. Means of saving sugar will be discussed: first, through eating food with less sugar, and second, by using substitutes. Household conveniences will be studied, infant feeding, and other subjects in which women are interested.

Miss Wilcox will present the matter to other women in a short time, and expects to start work at an early date.

Fashion's Fads.

One sided tunics are much worn. Goldcloth makes an attractive vest. The shoulder line is slightly drooping.

Old China blue is becoming very popular.

Jersey in a heavy silk vest weave is much used.

Fashion says no more white at the neck line.

Panel have adopted tassels as their weights.

Many of the new high collars fasten on the side.

Many high coiffures are topped by castilian pins.

If a sleeve must have width, make it below the elbow.

A veil of tulle may be tied in a huge bow in the back.

Pointed frills bound with velvet ribbons are charming.

Collars are dark in color and bulky in general effect.

The newest skirts are a yard and three-quarters in width.

Frocks of velvet are collared with ermine, chinchilla or seal.

Some of the new skirts are weighed by eighteen-inch hems.

A flaring cuff of white embroidered linen is a new accessory.

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